

David Mead - SB 1013

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We are in opposition of SB 1013...

Why would any one think it's a good idea to initiate a hunting season on moose in the upper peninsula when they are now only starting to recover.

As life long residents of Michigan we're getting more and more frustrated as to why the MDNRE doesn't get it that the non-consumptive public outspend the small minority of residents that hunt. The wildlife conservation system we have in place now is outmoded and needs to be revamped to reflect the huge majority of the public that want more say as to what happens to our state's wildlife (which should include wildlife preservation not destruction).

Even though we have lived in Michigan our whole lives, we avoid spending our vacation dollars in the upper peninsula mostly because we want to see "living" wildlife not "dead" wildlife's bloody bodies draped on vehicles - not a pretty picture when you'd like to increase tourism in an economically depressed state.

Sincerely,

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